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For: LOAD BALANCING BETWEEN

MULTIPLE WEB SERVERS

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 21,2004

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the office communication mailed May 21, 2004 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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